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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME NOTIFICATION OF FILING OF CONTINUATION APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, CA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2004. A response was due September 14, 2004. A one-month extension of time is hereby requested to allow the Applicant to file a Continuation application concurrently on this date. A check in the amount of \$55 is enclosed in payment of the one-month small entity extension fee.

It is believed that no further fee or charge is due at this time to maintain the application in full force and effect. However, if any such fee or charge is due, please charge this to Deposit Account No. 502099.

Signed at Bellingham, County of Whatcom, State of Washington this 14th day of October, 2004.

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